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TAGS: GATT, APER, AORG

SUBJECT: GATT VACANCY FOR COMMODITIES ECONOMIST

1. GATT HAS VACANCY FOR ECONOMIST BETWEEN AGES 28 AND 40 YEARS TO PERFORM FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS:

A. MONITOR SUPPLY-DEMAND OF MAJOR PRIMARY COMMODITIES ENTERING WORLD TRADE; DRAFTING ASSESSMENTS AND ANNUAL REVIEW OF DEVELOPMENTS FOR EACH COMMODITY.

B. CONDUCT ALONE, OR IN ASSOCIATION WITH OTHER STAFF MEMBERS, STUDIES OF INDIVIDUAL COMMODITIES AS WELL AS BROADER ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE AS THEY RELATE TO COMMODITY PROBLEMS.

2. CANDIDATES MUST POSSESS A FIRST DEGREE IN ECONOMICS, GRADUATE STUDY AND A HIGHER DEGREE IN ECONOMICS BEING AN ADVNATAGE; THREE TO FIVE YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN COMMODITY ANALYSIS, FIRST-CLASS PROFICIENCY IN WRITTEN AND SPOKEN ENGLISH OR FRENCH, AND ABILITY TO DRAFT CLEARLY AND CONCISELY IN EITHER LANGUAGE TECHNICAL REPORTS FOR BOTH PROFESSIONAL AND NONPROFESSIONAL READERS. KNOWLEDGE OF OTHER LANGUAGES, SUCH AS SPANISH OR GERMAN, WOULD BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT. ABILITY TO SUPERVISE STATISTICAL UNCLASSIFIED

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ASSISTANTS ALSO REQUIRED.

3. SALARY AND OTHER EMOLUMENTS ARE ON CURRENT UNITED NATIONS SCALES, THE APPOINTMENT LEVEL BEING DETERMINED IN RELATION TO QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE.

- 4. ACTION REQUIRED: CANDIDATES MUST SUBMIT A CURRICU-LUM VITAE, INCLUDING SAMPLES OF PERTINENT WRITTEN WORK, BY 11 JANUARY 1977.
- 5. COMMENT: THIS POSITION IS IN THE TRADE INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, UNDER SUPERVISION OF MR. JAN TUMLIR. WE INFORMED BY MEMBER OF GATT PERSONNEL SECTION THAT CUSTOMARY VACANCY NOTICE HAS NOT BEEN ISSUED. HOWEVER, POSITION HAS BEEN ADVERTISED IN BRITISH PUBLICATION, "THE ECONOMIST". WE URGE THAT WASHINGTON CABLE TO US THE PARTICULARS OF GOOD CANDIDATES (ONLY) IN ORDER THAT WE MAY MAKE THE 11 JANUARY DEADLINE. CATTO

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